

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE
THE HONORABLE BARBARA JACOBS ROTHSTEIN

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10 October 2003

In Re: PHENYLPROPANOLAMINE
PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION

Cause Number MDL 1407

MINUTE ENTRY

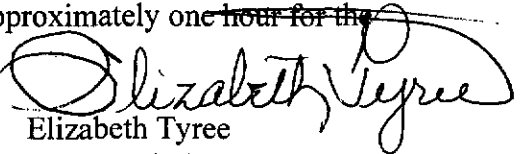
HEARING on remand issue:

Counsel confirm that argument as to the FDA issue should be delayed. The court directs counsel to design and institute a petition process which takes into consideration jurisdiction, defendants, and nature of injury.

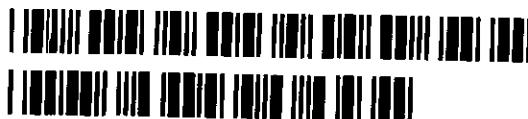
The court takes the remand issue, including the matter of setting a date by which petitions must be filed, under advisement. Counsel will confer with Professor McGovern as to the mediation process and as to dates.

Counsel shall contact Judge Rothstein's office in Washington D.C. to establish a date for a telephone conference as to the FDA issue. The court will permit approximately one hour for the conference.

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REMAND HEARING MINUTES



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